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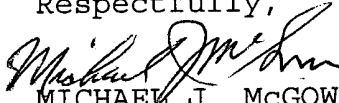
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Serial No. 09/983,048  
Filed: 15 October 2001  
For: FIBER OPTIC CURVATURE SENSOR FOR  
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Declaration and Power of Attorney in the above-identified application.

Kindly charge the \$130.00 surcharge under 37 CFR 1.16(e) for filing missing parts of Application with filing date granted to Deposit Account No. 14-0590.

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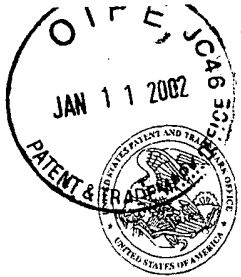
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- The signature of the following inventor(s) is missing from the oath or declaration:  
*Antonio L. Deus III*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
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